

## CHILDERS WAIVES PRE-LIMINARY EXAMINATION

**Damaging Evidence Said to be Held by Two Jail Prisoners.**

## POSTOFFICE AUTHORITIES ARE "MUM"

**But Seem Confident Of Convicting The Prisoner When Case Comes to Trial in the United States Court Late This Month.**

J. M. Childers waived examination on the charge of aiding United States prisoners to escape from the La Crosse county jail, before Court Commissioner Alfred Harrison this morning, as the Tribune stated a week ago, that he would.

Mr. Childers appeared in court with his attorney, Lemuel W. Gosnell, at the time appointed for the examination, 10 o'clock. After formally waiving examination, which proceeding occupied but a minute, Commissioner Harrison released defendant pending examination after securing his personal recognizance, the sum of \$1,500 secured as bail still being retained by Mr. Harrison.

Three witnesses to give testimony before the grand jury against defendant were also bonded to appear in the sum of \$200 each. Two of these witnesses, William Aird and Rudolph Steiner, prisoners at the county jail, are expected to introduce damaging evidence against the ex-convict. Both were confined in the jail at the time

## U. S. GRAND JURY DRAWN

**Men Who Will Hear Case Of "Merch" Childers Meet Here Sept. 26.**

The following men have been chosen by Clerk of the United States Court Alfred Harrison to serve as grand jurors at the September term of court which convenes here September 26th:

Oscar Newton, Newton (Viroqua, R. F. D.).  
E. L. Spicer, 111 North Fourteenth street, La Crosse.  
Ben Shove, Onalaska.  
J. R. Lyon, Glendale.  
James E. Butties, 1330 Pine street, La Crosse.  
Berlie Moore, Viroqua.  
R. Robertson, 136 South Ninth street, La Crosse.

T. O. Thorbus, Sparta.  
W. E. Nuzum, Tomah.  
D. F. Mains, Viroqua.  
J. H. Ward, Readstown.  
Edward Hallock, Durand, R. F. D.  
Thomas E. Armstrong, Nelson.  
William Loomis, Mondovi, R. F. D.  
James White, Pepin.  
S. P. Lier, Coon Valley.  
W. G. Hyslop, Blair.  
Arthur Holmes, Trempealeau.  
James H. Hunter, Independence.  
George McCannell, 1421 Avon street, La Crosse.  
N. L. Frederickson, Whitehall.  
Frank Davis, De Soto.  
James Amins, Cashton.

## INDICTED PACKERS GET CONTINUANCE

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)  
CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—Indicted packers and officials of the packing companies appared before Judge V. Humphrey in federal court this morning and asked a continuance which was granted to Sept. 18.

## TRY SENSATIONAL DIVORCE SUIT

**Anderson Case to Come Up Here**

## BRADBURY CASE UP ALSO

**most Interesting Of Cases Filed For Trial This Term of Court**

Two divorce cases of more than passing interest are scheduled to be tried during the coming term of circuit court, notices of trial having been filed with the clerk of the court.

The famous Anderson case, which has twice been up in Chicago courts and which was given considerable prominence in Chicago papers at the time will be fully aired before Judge Fruit. Oscar Anderson seeks an absolute divorce from his wife, who is now in Chicago.

J. M. Bradbury brings suit for divorce from Ethel Bradbury known in the business world as "Madame Ethereal, beauty doctor." Mr. Bradbury, who is a prominent liveryman here, lived with his wife but a short time after their marriage. In his complaint he alleges that she did not take to domesticity but craved for a life of business activity. Finally he advanced her a large sum of money, he alleges and she left to seek a business location with the understanding that she would not ask for further financial assistance. She finally returned to the city, however, and the divorce suit resulted.

Mrs. Bradbury was divorced but a short time before her marriage to Mr. Bradbury, from J. M. McCabe, a stock buyer from Chicago.

## FAST BURLINGTON BEARING CAPITALISTS, DITCHED

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
DENVER, Colo., Sept. 5.—The second section of the Burlington's fast train is reported wrecked near Brush, 75 miles east of here. Three are killed and fifteen are injured.

**Capitalists Escape.**  
A freight train ran into the passenger, the rear car of which was the private car "Rainbow," carrying a party of eastern capitalists under the guidance of Col. R. L. Duval of the Red Mountain Mining company.

A colored porter was killed instantly and a colored cook was injured so badly he died soon. A passenger was also killed. No others in the private car were killed.

Those in the cars ahead of the private car suffered most. The chair car and two Pullmans in the center of the train were ditched.

Among the injured:  
M. P. Schuby, Chillicothe, Mo.  
Brennan, West Virginia.

**BOARD MEETS TONIGHT.**  
The board of trade will hold its first fall meeting at the city hall this evening. Considerable business of importance will come up including the consideration of the new steel machinery company's proposition.

"Many little make a much," and if you find one want ad, a day worth answering the total of gain at the end of a year will surprise you.

## SIX GAMES WILL CINCH PENNANT

**President Elliott Says La Crosse Has The Trophy Within Grasp Now.**

Six more games and we have a cinch on the pennant.

This is the glad word extended to fans today by President John Elliott of the La Crosse league baseball association.

We are now seven games ahead of Oshkosh," said Mr. Elliott this morning and Oshkosh has to go up against Freeport who is going to fight her hard for second place.

The games are so arranged that La Crosse should have easy sailing for the banner now, and we expect to get it with a couple of games to spare unless luck turns dead against us.

Today's game is a pitcher's and managers' battle.

Bubser, manager for Beloit, who has heretofore spread terror among the La Crosse batters is in the box for Beloit and the invincible "Pink" Hawley is twirling the sphere for La Crosse. That today's game will prove one of the most exciting since the opening of the season is assured.

## MARSHALL FIELD WEDS IN LONDON

**Chicago Millionaire and Mrs. Caton are Joined Quietly.**

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
LONDON, Sept. 5.—The wedding of Marshall Field and Mrs. Caton which took place at noon today at St. Margaret's, Westminster, was quiet and only about twenty guests were present.

Ambassador and Mrs. Reid, and other members of the American embassy, and relatives were present. Canon Benson officiated.

The bride wore French gray crepe de chine and carried a bouquet of orchids. She wore a brooch of pearls and diamonds, and huge pearl earrings.

Field wore a tiny American flag in his buttonhole.

The bride was unattended and given away by her brother-in-law, Augustus Eddy of Chicago.

Marshall Field, Jr., son of the bridegroom, was best man. After the ceremony the party signed the marriage register and went to Claridge's for the wedding breakfast.

## RACINE MAN SHOT BY A BURGLAR HE FOUGHT

**PEDAGOG MAY BE FATALLY WOUNDED**

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
RACINE, Wis., Sept. 5.—Prof. Albert Augustine, principal of the Winslow school, was surprised by a burglar in his home early this morning and gave battle. The burglar shot, seriously wounding Augustine.

## Stole a Suit Worth \$1.

James Hackett was sentenced to fifteen days in the county jail yesterday by Judge Brindley for stealing a suit of clothes from the Hamilton store at Second and Pearl streets. The clothes were only valued at one dollar, which accounts for Hackett's small sentence.

Mrs. George Will left this noon for Minneapolis where she will visit with relatives and friends.

## THOUSANDS OF VETS IN DENVER

**Tanner Leads Fight For Commander--Tomorrow The Big Day.**

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
DENVER, Sept. 5.—About 125,000 visitors are here today. Homes and public buildings are thrown wide open and tents of the armies furnished for the veterans who arrived without funds. Army attendants meet arrivals at the train and provide sleeping quarters and meals for all. The city is transformed into a merry-making picnic grounds. All are uniting to make the old soldiers have a good time.

The school opening was postponed for a week and the buildings were turned over to the G. A. R. men and families.

The parade of naval veterans and military organizations was held this morning.

Tomorrow will be the parade of the G. A. R. men only.

All candidates for commander-in-chief are here. Indications seem to point to the selection of Corporal Tanner, 305 votes already being pledged for him.

General Robert Brown of Seaneville, Ohio, is his strongest opponent.

The present membership of the G. A. R. is 240,000. At the present death rate these will disappear before many years. Several thousand are monthly passing away.

## MILLIONAIRE IN JAIL FOR STABBING HIS SON

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
KENOSHA, Wis., Sept. 5.—Peter Aschton, a retired Chicago millionaire, is in jail here accused of perhaps fatally stabbing his son, John P. Aschton, during a quarrel at a house party at Aschton's summer home at Camp Lake.

## COUNCIL MEETS TO CONSIDER STREET OPENINGS.

A meeting of the council committee on streets and alleys has been called for this evening to consider several street opening propositions and several other matters prior to the regular meeting of the council Friday night.

## FORMAL SIGNING OF PEACE TREATY TODAY

## W. BOYCOTT TO DIE FROM PARALYTIC STROKE

**Near Death in Hospital--Hand on Throttle When The Stroke Came**

William A. Boycott, engineer at the wagon bridge, is dying at St. Francis hospital, as the result of a paralytic stroke sustained while preparing to open the draw on the bridge.

The steamer C. W. Cowles just whistled for the bridge to open and Tolltaker Matt Spah had lowered the guard gates at either end of the bridge. The steamer with a long raft of logs slowly made its way down toward the bridge, preparing to go through the east span. Still the bridge did not begin to open. Another whistle and still another were given. Then the steamer reversed its wheel and did its utmost to keep the raft away from the boom. The crash came, however, and the raft broke, logs scattering all over the river.

In the meantime Tolltaker Spah had run to the engine room and there found the unconscious body of the engineer lying on the floor, with one hand on the throttle and steam from the engine pouring about him. He evidently been stricken just as he was about to open the draw.

The officers of the Cowles were notified of the accident. A rope was tied to the bridge and the draw was opened in this manner. The steamer passed through and proceeded to pick up the pieces of raft which had floated away. They were all recovered.

The stricken engineer was removed to St. Francis hospital, where an examination developed that paralysis had attacked the entire left side. His case was pronounced hopeless, the stroke being very serious on account of Mr. Boycott's great weight. Reports from the hospital this afternoon were that the end could not be more than a few hours off.

## LARGEST CLASS OF NURSES GRADUATE TODAY

Today the largest class of nurses ever graduated in the city received their diplomas at St. Francis hospital. The members have all completed a three-years' course of study. Those who graduated are: Katherine E. Osterhout, Susan B. McGrath, Anna C. Schmalenberg, Eva B. Wertz, Helen M. Nelson, Anna M. Schwartz, Clara M. Pohrer, Margaret E. Spencer and Jennie F. Maronshak.

## WEATHER AND WATER

Weather forecast: Increasing cloudiness and warmer tonight; Wednesday probably light rain.

River forecast: The river will continue to fall steadily.

Stage of water: The river today registers 5.9, a drop of .2 in 24 hours.

## Envoys Bid M'Lane Formal Adieu.

## COMPLETE TREATY TERMS

**China Gets the Best of the Deal From Beginning To the End.**

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
PORTSMOUTH, Sept. 5.—Preliminary business is expected to keep the envoys so busy that the hour of the actual signing of the treaty will probably not be until 4 o'clock.

**The Treaty.**  
PORTSMOUTH, Sept. 5.—The summary of the peace treaty: Article 1 stipulates the re-establishment of friendship.

2. Russia recognizes the preponderant influence of Japan in Korea.

3. Agreed Manchuria be simultaneously evacuated by both.

4. That rights accruing to Russia by her leases on Port Arthur and Dalny, pass entirely to Japan, the rights of private persons remaining intact.

5. Both promise to put no obstacles in the way of China's development of Manchuria.

6. The Manchuria railway to be operated jointly at Keuang Tcheng Tse, each taking a branch of the line, Japan acquiring the mines connected with her branch.

7. Contract to make a junction of the two branches.

8. The roads shall work without obstruction.

9. Russia cedes the southern half of Saghalin.

10. Provides freedom for Russians on Southern Saghalin.

11. Russia is granted fishing rights in the Pk-hotsk and Behring seas.

12. Engage to renew the commercial treaty.

13. Both agree to restore prisoners when the expense for their keep is paid.

14. The treaty be in French and English and fifteen shall be signed by the sovereigns within fifty days after the envoys sign.

Two other articles provide that the evacuation shall be completed within ten months and that the boundary between the halves of Saghalin shall be definitely marked by a commission.

**Bid Governor Adieu.**  
PORTSMOUTH, Sept. 5.—The Japanese and Russian envoys this morning made a formal farewell call upon Governor McLean.

## DIE IN CRASH WHILE MUSIC PLAYS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
CHARLESTON, Mass., Sept. 5.—While the orchestra played and people sang, a special car making fast time between this city and Worcester jumped the track, and down the embankment, killing Grace Nelson, aged 25, a society belle.



We are headquarters for diamonds; quality, prices, and variety unsurpassable. Don't buy elsewhere until you have seen us. We court comparison. We are in position to sell diamonds at old prices, because we bought them years ago.

**R O S E**  
The JEWELER

## OVER THE OREGON TRAIL

How Ezra Meeker Will Travel  
From Portland to Iowa.

### NOVEL TRIP IN PRAIRIE SCHOONER

Pioneer Who Crossed the Continent  
Half a Century Ago Will Return by  
the Same Route—His Outfit Is Nearly  
Like the One He Had Then—Will  
Take Careful Notes.

"Gee, Twist! Come on, Stub! Git up!" cried Ezra Meeker, pioneer, historian and good old fashioned citizen, as he touched his off ox with a switch and turned the team into one of the gates of the Lewis and Clark exposition, writes the Portland (Ore.) correspondent of the Boston Herald. Mr. Meeker is on his way back east, but he scorns the Pullman; he proposes to travel the entire distance to Iowa along the old ox wagon trail over which he came to the Oregon country fifty-three years ago.

His outfit is as nearly as possible an exact reproduction of the one in which he and his young bride made the trip across the plains in 1852. There is a "prairie schooner," tar bucket and all, and a dog running underneath the rear axle which probably is a direct descendant of the Iowa dog that trotted all the way to Oregon in the pioneer days. The oxen, Stub and Twist, are pretty much like Buck and Dandy. Mr. Meeker's 1852 team, though the pioneer says they are not quite such a good team.

Ezra Meeker is now seventy-five years old. His wife of the pioneer days is still living. Meeker is a man of mark in his own country, which is the state of Washington. He lives near Tacoma, the metropolis of Pierce county, in which county he used to be the leading citizen because of his wealth. He is going back to Iowa this summer along the old Oregon trail, not because he wants to get back east, but because he desires to retrace the trail and live over again the experiences of a highly romantic, though strenuous and toilsome, era in American history and because he wants to write another book.

Ezra Meeker today is a sturdy old gentleman, with bushy white hair and a gray beard. He is a small man, light of build, and he wears overalls and a soft hat. His manner is unostentatious, and his courtesy is of the old time kind. He tells his story modestly.

Though Mr. Meeker does not say so, others say that the little old man was one of the few white men in the early days who won the Indians' confidence, and that this enabled him to employ them in his hop fields to such profit that when the hop lice pest wiped out his earnings in the early nineties he had raised for the export trade hops that had brought him \$500,000. It was of the early days that Mr. Meeker talked as he sat on a cracker box in his tent.

"I was reared in Indianapolis and was married there in 1851," he said. "Shortly after our marriage my wife and I started west in search of land. We spent the winter at Eddyville, Ia., and the winter was so cold that we decided to move to Oregon, so we started in the spring of 1852 with the same sort of an outfit as I have with me now. We reached Portland in the fall and spent the winter there, and in the spring we moved on to Pierce county, Wash., where I have lived ever since. I guess that's about all."

And yet Ezra Meeker has written a big book of more than 500 pages which

do cause pioneer reminiscences of Puget Sound—the Tragedy of Leschi. The book contains a host of incidents which portray vividly the life of the time, and the mention of it recalled one of them to the author as he sat in his pioneer camp amid the splendors of 1905 and the exposition.

"I saw in a paper awhile ago," he said, "that the number of people who passed over the Oregon trail in 1852 and 1853 was 2,500. Now, you know, that can't be true. The estimate is far too low. The trail was blocked a good part of the way with outfits, and the suffering was awful, but there must have been at least 25,000 who got through."

"You know a cholera broke out among the emigrants, and there were hundreds who died from it. At one place we counted fifty-one graves, all made within a week. Our party escaped the cholera and got through without losing an animal or a piece of baggage."

"I remember how glad we were when we got to The Dalles of the Columbia, for we thought that then our troubles were ended. We piled all our baggage on to a big flatboat, and there was hardly any room for passengers, but we sat around on the baggage and were happy. One day as we were going through a gorge with the mountains rising high on both sides some one started singing softly 'Home, Sweet Home.' Others took up the song, and we all sang one verse. Then we started the second, but at the close of the second line every one stopped suddenly and we all cried like babies, every one of us."

Mr. Meeker expects to continue his journey some time this month and thinks he can reach Omaha before cold weather strikes him. He has with him a hired man, who takes care of the oxen, and a photographer to take pictures of the landmarks, with their wives to do the cooking. Mr. Meeker intends to take careful notes of the trail and to follow it more closely than any one else ever has. He says that he will transcribe every one of the hundreds of names carved or written on Independence rock, the most famous landmark of the trail.

If you like big houses you might just as well live in one—and take enough lodgers to pay your rent. Want advertising makes it as simple as that.

### Half Rates to Wisconsin State Fair at Milwaukee.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip, Sept. 9 to 15, inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 16, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

"Every difficulty yields to the enterprising." Make a list of your difficulties—and see how many of them would easily yield to a little want advertising enterprise!

### Excursion Tickets to County Fair at West Salem, Wis.

Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates Sept. 4 to 8, inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 9, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

Want advertising makes this newspaper a part of the equipment of both your home and office—doer of tasks, prosecutor of quests, searcher for people, adjuster of difficulties.

Beginning Sunday, July 16, The Burlington will run cafe-observation cars on No. 49 going north at 8:00 a. m., serving breakfast and luncheon, and on No. 50 going south at 12:14 p. m., serving luncheon and dinner.

There are a good many things which, in this town, should be done only after reading the want ads. Renting a furnished room is one of these things.

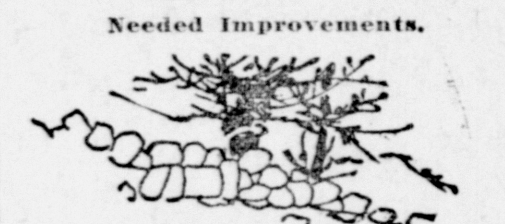
Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.



Encouraging.  
Patient—Doctor, my breath is getting shorter and shorter every day!  
Doctor—Oh, don't worry. I'll stop that entirely.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.



Painful.  
"Sit down here, little boy, and tell me what happened to you in school today."  
"Well, ma'am, if it's just the same I'd rather stand up an' tell you!"—New York American.



Needed Improvements.  
The Country Cousin—How d'you like the country, Willie?  
The City Boy—Well, if it only had more houses and cops and street cars and keep off de grass signs and things it would be foist rate.—New York World.



He Got It.  
The Purchaser—But the blame t'ing won't light!  
The Dealer—Well, didn't you ask for a dark lantern?—New York Evening Journal.



Compliments.  
"Say, Horn, you're the worst blower I ever heard of!"  
"Well, it's a pipe you're full of hot air yourself!"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.



She Didn't Want Much.  
Elderly Woman—Remember, I'm not particular about having a striking likeness, but I must have a pretty picture.

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MANAGE REAL ESTATE  
WITHOUT ADVERTISING  
AS TO MANAGE A  
BOAT WITHOUT A RUD-  
DER. AND AS FOOLISH  
TO TRY THE ONE  
AS THE OTHER.

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as the name of the man to whom  
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for it! A little judicious want ad-  
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for in the nature of things, he is  
anxious to find you too.

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Sold by KING, THE BIKE MAN,  
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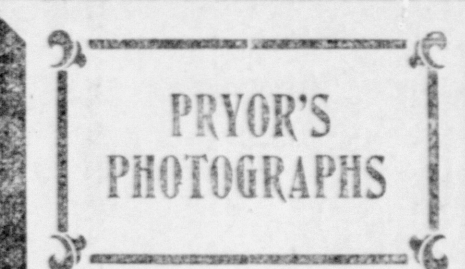




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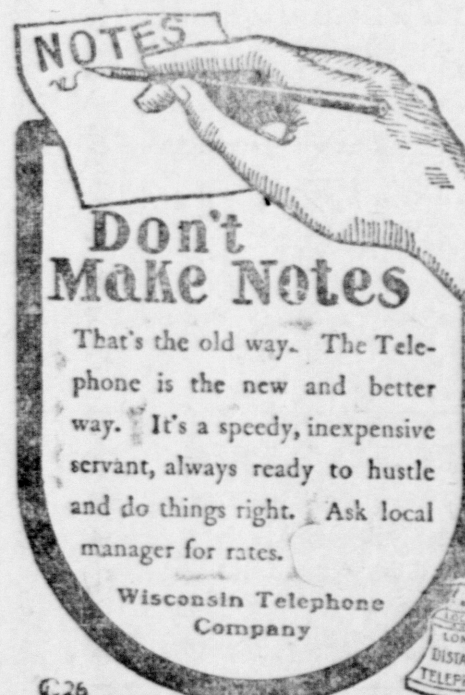
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## BUTCHERS CHOKED A UNION MAN WHEN HE SOUGHT DUES

John Farley this morning had warrants sworn out for the arrest of Albert, Fred and Rudolph Briebach, on the charge of assault and battery. Farley, who is secretary of the local meat cutters' union, called at the shop to collect an assessment against the

firm. An argument ensued and Farley alleges the brothers assaulted him. One choked him, he says, and another pounded him. Farley's face is badly bruised and one tooth is missing as a result of the fracas. The case will be called in Judge Brindley's court at 10 tomorrow morning.

## LITTLE GIRL OF THREE YEARS BRUTALLY SLAIN

**There Is Also a Man In the Case Who Is in Custody**

New York, Sept. 5.—A child murder of unusual cruelty came to light when the body of a 3-year-old girl was found in a dark stairway in a west side tenement house. Both legs had been broken at the knees. There were nine stab wounds in the face, evidently made by a penknife, and numerous other bruises. The body was hidden under a newspaper when a janitor found it after other persons in the building had walked over the same stairs and found them empty. Eighteen families live in the tenement, but none remembered having seen the girl before. The body was well dressed.

**Nobody Knows the Child.**  
The child was either murdered in some other part of the city and her body brought to where it was found, or that she was lured to some place in the neighborhood and deliberately murdered, was practically settled as a result of the day's investigation by the coroner. Even before the body had been removed to the morgue more than 1,500 persons residing in the vicinity of the tenement house where the dead child was found had visited the body. None of them ever had seen her before, and the coroner appeared to be satisfied that she had not lived in the neighborhood.

**Craft, Cunning and Cruelty.**  
The craft, cunning, and even the cruelty, of the person or persons who sent the little one to her death were emphasized by the coroner's investigation. It was found that the stab wounds on the face are entirely superficial. Death was caused by an ugly bruise on the side of the head, which the physicians who have examined the body think may have been caused by the child being swung heavily against a post, presumably by some one who held her by the feet.

**Murderers Wash the Corpse.**  
It is the opinion of the coroner that the body was carefully washed and fully redressed after the crime. The absence of bloodstains, the presence of drops of hardened candle grease on the limbs, and the unruined condition of the clothing led them to this belief. From whence, how and in what way the body was brought to the place where it was found remains to be determined.

**Child's Mother Is Arrested.**  
Later—The murdered child has been identified as Gertrude Riemont, a daughter of Mrs. Agnes Riemont, who lives in a tenement house at 431 West Forty-fifth street. The identification was made by the janitress of the house where the child's mother lived, and later the police arrested Mrs. Riemont and Charles Denzer, the latter of whom lived also at 431 West Forty-fifth street.



"Say, ma, don't you wisht you was rich, so you could have a solid gold washub instead of that old tin thing?"  
—San Francisco Examiner.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women

**CARRIAGES & BAGGAGE LINE**  
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Bronson's Restaurant Stand.  
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### NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

Arrivals from China at Victoria, B. C., state that while the boycott was serious indeed there are signs of weakening.

Secretary Root and his two sons have passed through Halifax en route home from Labrador.

The stables at the Stark county (O.) race track burned to the ground. Of the 125 horses quartered there seven perished.

The semi-official Dagblad, of Stockholm, declares that King Oscar is still in opposition to any prince of the house of Bernadotte ascending the Norwegian throne.

A French Jew was found murdered at Tangier. The murderers escaped.

One negro was killed, two fatally and a fourth seriously injured by a street car south of Louisville. The negroes had been put off one car for fighting, and resumed the fight and struggled in front of another car.

Engineer Norton, of Norwich, N. Y., was killed and Engineer Barden fatally injured in a wreck on the Ontario and Western at Norwich.

Public Printer Palmer has requested the resignations of Oscar J. Ricketts and L. C. Hay, employees of the government printing shop. They refused, demanding a trial under civil service rules.

Eight passengers were injured, none seriously, in the wreck of a Santa Fe train carrying G. A. R. excursionists near Boone, Colo.

The recent merging of Indiana coal mines is believed at Indianapolis to foreshadow an organization of anthracite and bituminous operators to resist the demands of miners.

A hurricane of extraordinary severity has caused considerable damage to the banana plantation in Costa Rica.

The New York National Guard team won the national team rifle match at Sea Girt, N. J., with a total score of 4,528 out of a possible 6,500.

It is said that General Skallon, the new governor general of Warsaw, Poland, intends to abolish martial law, normal conditions having been resumed.

Fire destroyed the Calumet (Mich.) high school and the Miscoanah club house, entailing a loss of \$100,000.

Governor Hock, of Kansas, may issue requisitions on Governor Folk, of Missouri, for the arrest of members of Quantrell's guerrilla band.

The extra force employed in the San Francisco mint for the last two years has been dismissed for lack of work.

Almost the entire business section of Flemingsburg, Ky., was destroyed by fire. The loss is \$75,000.

A strike of New York sheet metal workers stops work on buildings. The men demand \$1.50, or 50 cents more a day.

Jesse E. Wilson, of Indiana, the new assistant secretary of the interior, has assumed the duties of his office.

Authorities of the public health and marine hospital service are not apprehensive over the outbreak of cholera in Uruguay.

The Southern Lumber Manufacturers' association has announced a general advance of \$1 per thousand feet on pine.

The annual statistical report of the Friends' International Christian Endeavor Union shows 431 societies with 10,745 members.

Fire in the planing mills of the White Pine Lumber Company at Priest River, Ida., destroyed the mill and 3,000,000 feet of lumber. Loss, \$275,000.

The new battleship Vermont was successfully launched at the Fore River ship yards.

If the Chicago Board of Trade carries out its determination to trade in puts and calls the police will raid the board.

Charles Canopi, 8 years old, died of cerebral spinal meningitis after remaining in a state of coma for 145 days at New York.

The losses of Ernest Cronier in sugar stock speculation, which caused the Parisian manufacturer to commit suicide, are said to involve \$200,000.

Kermit Roosevelt won his father's reputation as a hunter by returning to Deadwood, S. D., with the carcass of a young brown bear.

Official announcement is made that D. E. Thompson, United States minis-

ter to Brazil, has been promoted to be ambassador to Mexico.

The "Subway tavern," opened some months ago by Bishop Potter in New York, has been sold and the new owner will hereafter run the place as a regular saloon.

Insane over religion William Leslie Smith, a farmer of Chenoa, Ill., has been giving canaries and Bibles to every person he met. He is now at Jacksonville.

Micnor Obarrio, a prominent citizen of Panama, has arrived at New York to visit President Roosevelt on a secret mission.

Three Slavs and an Italian were blown to pieces by the premature explosion of a blast near Safe Harbor, Pennsylvania.

James McMenamin, the first chief of the Kansas City fire department, is dead, aged 76 years.

## Mother May forgive Son Who Robbed Her

Indications are the Kraus boy, who has been locked up in central police station on the charge of spending a large sum of money belonging to his mother, will not be prosecuted. The boy's mother seems disposed to forgive her erring son and keep him out of the reform school if possible.

## The Markets

(Edwards-Wood Co.)  
**Chicago Livestock.**

Chicago, Sept. 5.—Hog receipts, 15,000; left over, 6,775. Prices shade lower. Light, 5.60 to 6.05; mixed, mixed 5.55 to 6.05; heavy, 5.35 to 6.00; rough, 5.35 to 5.65.

Cattle, 16,000; market 10c lower.  
Sheep, 18,000; market 5 to 10c lower.

**Minneapolis Wheat.**

Open. High. Low. Close.  
Sept. .... 81 81 1/4 80 5/8 80 3/4  
Dec. .... 80 3/4 80 5/8 79 3/4 80  
May .... 83 3/8 84 1/8 83 3/8 83 1/2



Willie—I'd rather have a automobile myself, but this seems to amuse paw.  
New York Evening Journal.



Customer—I'd like to see something nice in checks.  
Tailor—So would I.—Chicago American.



"Have you seen poor Annette?"  
"No."  
"Te-he! Her master is making her wear her last summer's hat again this season."  
—New York Journal.

If you can't boast, don't knock!

**LA CROSSE THEATER, SUNDAY, SEPT. 10.**

EASILY  
A LAUGH  
A MINUTE.

The Show With Action, Interpreted by a Capable Company of Fun Makers. An Astonishing Show At Popular Prices With the Clever Squabs And Beauty Chorus of Forty. A Clean, Concise Entertainment For Young And Old.

Popular Prices 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00. Boxes and Front Four Rows First Floor \$1.00. Remainder First Floor 75c.

# THE PLAYERS

## AND WHAT THEY OFFER THIS WEEK

**THE PARADERS IS SOMETHING NEW**

An innovation in musical comedy of the higher class has been started by Chicago impresarios. Realizing the demand for productions at prices within the reach of all, these wise theatrical men are sending "The Paraders" on the road with a strong and well balanced cast of competent players and a chorus of unequalled singers and dancers. The entertainment is brisk and snappy and goes with a vim. There is not a dull moment from the rise to the final fall of the curtain.

Never before has such an aggregation of players been secured whose work seems to be cut out expressly for them. The company is headed by Miss Rosalie Sheldon, prima donna. Others are, the Waldron brothers, German comedians; Charles H. Francis, Edward Hutchinson, Richard Bartlett, Miss Ruby Lusby and Elmore sisters.

The piece has to do with the adventures of Baron Van Blitzen, a bogus nobleman. The baron had "barrels of medals" presented to him by the Kaiser. He gets into numerous difficulties by making love with an American heiress. He insults her and is thrashed by Major Bluster. The latter has a daughter who is in love with a man her father dislikes. The lover disguises himself as a Mexican and woos her.

The major threatens the sweetheart. Each time he goes to draw his revolver from his pocket to shoot the "greaser," he is forestalled by his daughter. She abstracts the revolver and replaces it with a carrot or other vegetables. In the meanwhile the baron and his friend Wiener Schnitzel are mistaken for spies.

On board the battleship "Iowa" they escape and hide in cannons. A sham battle is to be fought and in swabbing out the guns, the Germans are discovered and put in irons. It is finally learned that the supposed spies are harmless and they are released. The major's daughter marries the "Grezer" and everything ends happily. La Crosse theatre, Sunday, Sept. 10.

The want ads. help you to manage your affairs—and even though your affairs be very simple they will usually "manage" you if you don't get a helping hand from the "wants."

**The Forbidden Land is Great**

"The Forbidden Land," the new Tibetan comic opera, which will be the attraction at the La Crosse theatre on Thursday, Sept. 7, takes its title from Tibet, where the story of the play is laid in the principal city, Lhasa. Tibet until recently has been a sealed book to the civilized world. It has been called "The Garden of the Clouds," as well as "The Roof of the World." The recent British invasion under the direction of Colonel Younghusband, and the thrilling adventures of Henry Savage Landor,



Alma Youlin, the famous Prima Donna in "The Forbidden Land."

the explorer, as told in his work of travel entitled "In the Forbidden Land," is reason enough for the title. Librettist Guy F. Stealy has been able to produce a decidedly unique and unconventional story. It deals with a party of Americans and an English artist, who virtually stumble into Lhasa, the forbidden city of the forbidden land. The music by Frederic Chapin is scholarly, yet tuneful and catchy. The cast is one of eminent strength, and is headed by Edward Garvie, who is capably assisted by Charles A. Morgan, W. H. Clarke, Thomas Cameron, Hughie Flaherty, H. S. Austin, Abbott Adams, Alma Youlin, Grace McArty and Mabel Laffin, and a chorus remarkable for its size, quality and appearance. The scenery and music are the most elaborate and expensive. Price, 25c to \$1.50. On this occasion the city street railway company will hold cars at Fourth and Main streets until 11:30 p. m.

Do you live in a "Homelet?" The want ads. have a peculiar interest to those who dwell in furnished rooms—"homelets"—for it is so easy for these people to move that they will not tolerate small annoyances.

**BIJOU PACKED ON THE OPENING DAY**

The Bijou vaudeville theatre which opened for the fall and winter season yesterday was packed at all performances.

The show being presented during the opening week is a remarkable collection of vaudeville and highly pleased the large audiences last evening.

The new baritone singer was most pleasing, as were the attractive motion pictures which are being presented.

**ONLY A FEW OF THE KIND**

It is extremely probable that you love good singing and dancing, don't you? There is a sumptuous feast in store for you then. All that heart could desire in that line will be given in "The Paraders."

**Very Low Excursion Rates to Philadelphia, Pa.**

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold Sept. 14, 15 and 16, with favorable return limits, on account of Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

**Very Low Rates to Richmond, Va.**

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold Sept. 8 to 11, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of Farmers' National Congress. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.



**The Home of Refined Vaudeville.**

**THREE SHOWS DAILY.**

MATINEE 2:30; ADMISSION 10c

EVENING SHOWS:

7:30 AND 9 O'CLOCK.

ADMISSION 15 CTS.

Bring the Ladies and Children.

**LA CROSSE THEATER SEPT. 7.**

OPENING OF THE REGULAR SEASON

THE BIG TIBETAN COMIC OPERA TRIUMPH

**THE FORBIDDEN LAND.**

THE ONE REAL EXAMPLE OF GENERAL COMIC OPERA BEFORE THE PUBLIC. STAGED WITH OPULENT LAVISHNESS.

THE BIG CAST EMBRACES—EDWARD GARVIE, CHAS. A. MORGAN, THOS. CAMERON, ABBOT ADAMS, GRACE McARTY, W. H. CLARKE, HUGH FLAHERTY, H. L. AUSTIN, MABEL LAFFIN, ALMA YOULIN.

GREAT BEAUTY CHORUS.

PRICES—25c TO \$1.50

Seats ready one day in advance at Young's Drug Store.

On this occasion the City Railway will hold Cars at 4th and Main Streets until 11:30 P. M.

**LA CROSSE THEATER, SUNDAY, SEPT. 10.**

**"The Real Musical Show You've Heard About. Each And Every Critic Its Praises Shout."**

**THE PARADERS**

Book and Lyrics by Raymond W. Peck.  
Music by Robert Hood Bowers.



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## TIME FOR REPENTANCE.

(From Bryan's Communion.)

Bishop Fallows thus speaks of the possibility of a Rockefeller conversion:

Governor La Follette, my fellow university student, has declared, according to report, Rockefeller is the greatest criminal of the age. Miss Tarbell has said he is money mad. Taking it for granted that his conduct has been correctly stated, there is not a doubt that money madness has seized him through and through.

In that madness he has bitten tens of thousands of youths and grown-up men. I cannot help believing that the graft madness so widely prevailing has an intimate relationship to the baleful influence he has so widely exerted. There are insane persons and criminally insane characters. We make a fundamental distinction between the two. Which class of money mad people does Mr. Rockefeller belong to? The ordinary insane person has lost the faculty of judgment. He can not discern correctly. He can not distinguish between right and wrong.

I believe Rockefeller to be mentally defective and color-blind in his makeup. He is a religious man. He is a member in good standing in the Baptist church. But he has put religion in one compartment of his being and business in another. He has seen no moral connection between them. St. Paul's eyes were opened to the fearful mistake he had been ignorantly making. From being a red-handed murderer by law he went to the front rank as a benefactor of mankind. But he confessed his guilt, incurred through ignorance. Let Mr. Rockefeller do the same. Let him boldly and at once say "the things I have done were wrong." Let him use his immense wealth at the same time in undoing that wrong as far as possible and in blessing his fellowmen. Fully forgiven, both by God and man, he will rise at once to be the St. John of the twentieth century. No other man now living has such an opportunity.

What a prospect! Rockefeller repentant and endeavoring to atone for the sins of the past! And yet such a reformation is not without parallel. The conscience can do wonders when aroused. The heart is ever in search of peace and it can not find it except in "the conscience void of offense toward God and man." Rockefeller is growing old; he realizes that he has but a short time to live. He is a believer in immortality and he is beginning to think more and more of that future life whose realities he must soon try. When he was younger he may have derived some pleasure from bankrupting a rival. Even the suicide of a broken hearted competitor may not have disturbed him, but he is soon to meet some of his victims. Will he enjoy the meeting? Here he can surround his house with a large yard and station some one at the gate to keep out intruders, but he may begin to doubt his ability to secure an exclusive lease of one of the "many mansions"—what then? Yes, what then?

The approach of death has made many a man ponder, and it may be that Rockefeller has reached the pondering period. His recent donations indicate that he is beginning to put his affairs in shape for the inevitable change. But he can not find peace by continuing his exploitation and then giving a percentage of his ill-gotten gains to subsidize colleges and churches. Repentance must come first. If he is a Bible student he might find some instructive reading in the sixth chapter of Micah: "Wherewith shall I come before the Lord and bow myself before the high God? Shall I come before Him with burnt offerings, with calves of a year old?"

"Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, or with ten thousands of rivers of oil. Shall I give my first born for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?"

"He hath showed thee, O man, what is good and what doth the Lord require of thee but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God."

If Mr. Rockefeller reads the chapter a little farther he will find other verses which may strike him as personal.

"For the rich men thereof are full of violence, and the inhabitants thereof have spoken lies and their tongue is deceitful in their mouth."

"Therefore also will I make thee sick in smiting thee, in making thee desolate because of thy sins."

"\* \* \* That I should make thee a desolation, and the inhabitants thereof an hissing; therefore ye shall bear the reproach of my people."

Nothing would be more calculated to bring Mr. Rockefeller to repentance than a refusal by Christians to help him to spend the proceeds of his "rivers of oil." Even the discussion of the subject has worked upon his mind and brought him glimpses of the sentiment of the public.

If he is at last led to see the wickedness of his trust methods and reforms he may prove a powerful factor in the overthrow of the trusts. But is he willing to try the recipe: "To do justly, to love mercy and to walk humbly?"

## WHO WAS THERE AT THE FAIR.

La Crosse was not lost among the 50,000 people at the Minnesota state fair yesterday. In fact, La Crosse was quite in evidence.

In the first place, the leading journalists of La Crosse were there. It isn't necessary to mention their names or to say anything more definite than that one of them is a "Cow Puncher," and the other a "Shitepoke." Them's the fellers.

It is not necessary to say more than that to establish the truth of the assertion that La Crosse was well represented at the Gopher fair, but to make the representation more cosmopolitan if less metropolitan, there were others. Dr. Main's alert face smiled amiably at the "Shitepoke" from across a horn-of-plenty breakfast table. Alderman Harry Palmer was observed for three straight heats sitting behind a winning horse. Will Cook, looking immensely more Minneapolitan than formerly, is known to have spent a harrowing day keeping a rube brother-in-law from falling out windows and sitting on car tracks, "Smick" Erickson, a sho-nuff call man, occupied reserved standing room in the paddock behind 11,000 Peter Trims looming up from here on the track railing. Several La Crosse girls were in the stand making noise like a hot time.

And, somersides for a moment, Billy Cargill and the bulls were there. When Billy became the observed of all observed, he was weighing in the Herfords. They are winners, that bunch. Compared with all other entries, the Cargill stock seems to have a great lead, a fact that percentage of premiums at other fairs this year bears out. One Indiana farm was a respectable rival, but the dozen others represented had no more show with our townsman's herd than Pink Hawley would have in a race with Dan Patch. Every La Crosse man felt taller and more handsome after

looking at the beautiful show that held forth under big display cards inscribed, "Cargill & McMillan Stock Farm, La Crosse, Wis."

Incidentally, it was in passing the sheep pens that the "Shitepoke" lost the "Cow Puncher."

## CONCERNING ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS.

All is quiet along the Pough-tough-mak. There isn't anything doing; so far as appears on the surface, there isn't anyone being done. So there is a worrisome stillness, as of "the calm before the storm."

Any "live one" at present in circulation in this community will testify to the calm, and to the accompanying anticipations. But as to the storm, that is still a matter of speculation. There may be a terrible storm, and there may not be any storm at all. For, as some people are hoping, it may have blown over. So it is not exactly certain that this calm is "the calm before the storm."

It isn't all chance—it is more circumstance than chance. For, of course, The Weather Man could have a storm if he chose. And there is no telling what the humor of The Weather Man may be.

"WANTED—A straight tip on the best way to "get to" The Weather Man."

## JUST LIFE

### SYNONYMOUS.

The society editress was busily musing up all the exchanges, prattling the while to the distraction of the editorial force.

"'Twas perfectly horrible," she exclaimed.

The click of typewriters ceased while she continued.

"Do you know the other day you had a marriage notice and it wound up by saying the burial party proceeded to the feast, instead of the 'bridal party.'"

"Huh. Look at this," suggested the city editor, holding up a piece of copy turned in by the dyed-in-the-wool news-gatherer. The slip outlined a wedding and wound up with "Rev. Father W— officiated, and interment was made in Oak Grove."

In explanation the author of the spasm admitted he had been out late the night before, and that marriage and death were synonymous to him, anyway.

The society editress fainted again.

Labor's demonstration of strength yesterday invites no conflict.

It isn't necessary to hire any of the southern league to win that pennant.

The carnival has invaded the north side. Sausage stands, gilt torch-lights, and red paint are abundant.

Judging from current events and comments on the Taggart case a man who objects to a wife's misconduct is a brute.

## A HINT ON JUSTICE.

Raymond Barker, of Racine, translates an anecdote found in a volume of old Spanish stories:

"Representatives of the bakers' guild once appeared before the chief magistrate of a certain city and asked permission to raise the price of bread. After the interview was finished, as the deputation was going away, one of its members took care to place, with great dexterity, a purse with fifty ounces of gold upon the magistrate's table. A few days later they came back, not doubting but that the purse had proved a most eloquent advocate for their cause. But, to their surprise, the magistrate said: 'Gentlemen, I have weighed your arguments in the balance of justice, and have found them wanting. To me it does not seem right that a whole city should suffer through this ill-advised advance in price. As to the money which you left, I have divided it between the two hospitals of our town, for I presumed that that was the use which you desired should be made of it; and I naturally supposed that, if you were rich enough to give alms of such proportions your business could not be such a losing one as you say.'"

## THOSE RURAL GOSSIPS.

(Clear Creek News, Osseo Recorder.) Don't say anything the sun is shining.

Miss Lillie Greene and Oscar Stillman passed through pancake avenue Saturday to spend Sunday with her parents.

When you have any more bronchos to break Dan, call on Less or Oscato help.

Hello Joe, when are you going to Shaw again?

We are glad to see Miss Hattie Greene here again.

Charlie Johnson is talking of taking his colt to the fair next week.

Miss Mabel Thompson spent Sunday with her folks.

Oscar Stillman helped Dan Greene stack his grain.

Mrs. Stillman and son Howard called at A. D. Coon's Sunday.

Hello girls, you want to shine around Louis Osgard as he has a fine driving horse.

Oscar Stillman is seen east of Osseo quite often lately. Wonder why? Less Crow spent Sunday at D. Greene's.

Mrs. A. D. Coon and Miss Mabel Thompson were at Osseo Monday with their fine driving team.

Hans Johnson is on the sick list at present.

—W. V. K.

## THE SPECTATOR.

Did you ever try maple syrup as a skin beautifier? If not you have missed a novel sensation. Cover about three inches of skin with the fluid, let it dry and then imagine how it would feel to have the entire body covered with the lotion. One of the lady members of La Crosse four hundred can tell you all about it if you haven't the nerve to attempt the experiment.

This lady, who resides on a fashionable street in a more fashionable house with her servants and what is left of a grown-up family, is well past middle age. Of late years she has taken to using olive oil for the skin, the cooling lotion tending to keep the cuticle in a healthful condition and preventing the rapid onward march of the never-welcome wrinkles. The olive oil is applied at night just before retiring. The bottle is kept in the ice box to preserve the contents.

One night last week, after a particularly trying day of social duties madame was almost ready to retire before she thought of her massage. She was tempted to forego the habit for once, but finally thought better of it, and about half asleep made her way down stairs and through the long halls to the kitchen. Reaching in the ice box she grasped a bottle and journeyed back to her room, where the massage treatment was soon finished. Completely tired out she dropped off to slumber, and knew no more until the sun was high in the heavens the next morning.

Arising hastily she started to remove her night robe. The garment was stuck fast to various portions of her body and required fifteen minutes of patient work to remove. It was a sight; so was madame's person. A bottle-on the dresser labeled "Maple Syrup," told the story. It was shaped exactly like the olive oil bottle. The larger part of a day was consumed in removing the syrup from Madame's person.

One fashionable house in La Crosse has discontinued the use of maple syrup as a table luxury.

But a bottle of olive oil still reposes in the ice box.

Horace Norton, chief of pages in the house of representatives at Washington, is a confirmed practical joker. He spends the larger part of his time between sessions of congress at home in this city. Horace has a couple of very intimate friends employed in the National bank. Both have been made the butt of a number of his little pleasantries. Horace does not know much about the inside of the banking business, which fact proved his undoing. It was the busy hour in the National. Every man inside the cages, from president to messenger, was swamped with work. Horace sauntered about in the corridor.

"Say, Hod," called one of his friends who had been made the victim of one of the latest jokes. Norton walked over to the window. "We've run out of protest strings," said the man inside in a low tone. "Won't you chase around to one of the other banks and get a few to finish out the day? We've got a supply coming from the printer in the morning."

"Sure," said the obliging Norton. Just as he started out of the door the bank clerk got busy at the phone. The chief of pages wondered at the air of solicitous pleasantry with which he was greeted in each bank. Protest strings seemed to be at a premium. "Sorry but we're just out too," and similar excuses met him in every bank, and he finally returned to the National empty handed.

"All the other banks are out of protest strings, too," he reported to the clerk who had sent him on the errand. "Protest strings?" queried the clerk, "protest strings, what are they? I wanted protest blanks; blanks are the only things upon which notes can be protested. I never saw it done on a string, although maybe they use strings in China. Try again, Hoddie."

Roars of laughter from the cages in the bank and hasty exit of the practical joker.

—C. A. W.

## The Tribune's Jesters

### ARTISTIC ANGLING.



### Getting a Foothold.



"I've just bought the finest ten acre lot I ever put my foot on."

"Well, better get another lot for your other foot."

### Her Ideal.



"Yes, I know George is a little wild, but nevertheless he is the flower of my heart."

"You always were fond of wild flowers, dear."—Chicago American.

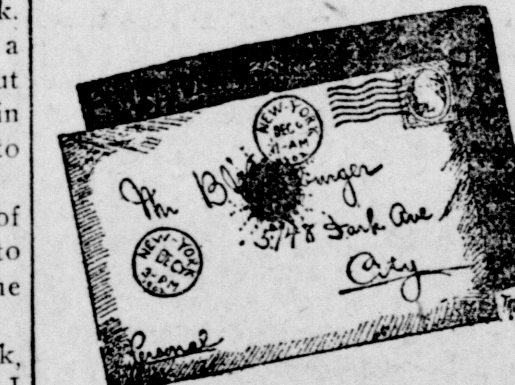
### Equal Honors.



Fannie—My big sister is coming out this evening.

Katie—Dat's not'ing. Me big brudder is comin' out tonight, too. He was up fer six months.—New York Times.

### A Stain on His Name.



—Philadelphia Ledger.

### Just a Matter of Taste.



Mr. B. Constant—Don't you know consistency is a jewel?

Miss B. Wilder—Of course, but jewelry is going out of fashion.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

### A Question of Privilege.



Mistress (after a heated discussion with argumentative cook)—Are you the mistress of this house, I should like to know?

Cook—No, ma'am, I ain't, but—Mistress (triumphantly)—Then don't talk like an idiot!

### Lost Energy.



"Poor, poor man! Fell from the twelfth story? How awful!"

"Yes'm; ain't it awful? Now I got ter walk all de way back again!"—New York Journal.

## Report of the Financial Condition of the—

## BATAVIAN NATIONAL BANK

Located at La Crosse, State of Wisconsin, at the close of Business on the 25th Day of August, 1905.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts.....	\$2,449,141.69
Overdrafts.....	183.18
U. S. bonds and premium	412,000.00
Other bonds.....	136,811.89
Banking house & fixtures	75,000.00
5% redemption fund.....	20,000.00
Cash and due from banks	592,562.71
	\$3,685,699.47
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock.....	\$ 400,000.00
Surplus.....	101,000.00
Undivided profits.....	8,399.65
Nat'l bank notes outstanding	350,000.00
Certified checks.....	220.00
Deposits.....	2,787,079.82
	\$3,685,699.47

## 3% Interest

On Savings credited semi-annually.

Deposits made prior to the 5th draw interest from 1st of each month

**\$1 starts an account.**

**The State Bank of La Crosse?**

La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Capital and Surplus

**\$100,000.00.**

## THE NATIONAL BANK OF LA CROSSE

August 25th, 1905.

Loans and Discounts.....	\$2,468,450.12
Overdrafts.....	2,275.59
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	200,000.00
Other Bonds.....	211,000.00
Banking House.....	50,000.00
Other Real Estate.....	100.00
CASH RESOURCES	
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits.....	\$ 50,000.00
With Banks.....	583,366.30
With Treas. U. S.	10,000.00
In Vaults.....	189,588.03
	\$35,954.33
Total.....	\$3,767,783.04
LIABILITIES	
Capital.....	250,000.00
Surplus.....	150,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	55,033.39
Circulation.....	200,000.00
Deposits.....	3,112,749.65
Total.....	\$3,767,783.04

United States Depository.

## Exchange State Bank

NORTH LA CROSSE.

Capital.....	\$25,000.00
Surplus.....	3,000.00
A general banking business transacted.	
OFFICERS—J. E. Wheeler, pres.; Orlando Holway, vice-pres.; Jos. P. Gohres, cashier; Robt. B. Lowry, ass't cashier. Directors—J. E. Wheeler, Orlando Holway, W. B. Tscharnier, Wm. F. Gohres, S. J. Waite.	

## La Crosse Business Directory

## M'CALEB'S

## SIGNS

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## GAUNAN J. FYETT.

210 So. Third street, La Crosse, Wis.

## J. H. LIGHTBODY. REAL ESTATE.

Farms and wild lands a specialty. City property bought, sold and rented—325 Main street, Old Telephone 759, La Crosse, Wis.

## FLATS TO RENT.

City Heat Electric Light, all modern improvements. From 20 dollars per month and up to \$35.00.

McMillan Bldg. Room 223.

## J. B. MURRAY.

Staple and Fancy Groceries—Everything good to eat and at prices that are down to date.

1001 La Crosse St.

La Crosse, Wisconsin.

## ELECTRICAL

00 { Machinery, Supplies, Construction. } 00

## BENTON--

Phones 178—200 S. Front St.

••••• If you can't boost, don't knock! •••••

## CIGARS

ALL THE POPULAR BRANDS

## ROTH'S

CORNER 6. & MAIN.







# LAKES LASHED TO FURY AND MANY VICTIMS PERISH

## SEVEN LOSE LIVES FROM THE SEVENA--HERO- ISM MARKED

### Captain Among Those Who Gave Up Lives For Others.

Ashtand, Wis., Sept. 5.—The latest report from the wrecked Sevona gives seven drowned—Captain McDonald, First Mate Darwin, second mate (name unknown), two wheelmen and two sailors. The small boat with five persons, which was thought to be lost, has reached land and all are safe. The complete list of saved is: Engineer and Mrs. William Phillips, Adam Fredon; J. H. Clucky and wife, of Buffalo; Miss Lillian Jones, and Miss Kate Spencer, Erie, Pa.; Gretchen Renner, Racine; Neil Nelson, Otto Smith, Nick Fiden, George Slade, Buffalo; William Long, Sheboygan; H. Von Velek, Erie; Charles Scouler, North East, Pa.; and Paul Stockel and Edgar Rider, of Cleveland.

#### Ten Other Men Missing.

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 5.—It now seems quite certain that the big wooden barge Pretoria, of the Davidson fleet, was lost in Lake Superior during the recent storm. The Pretoria tow line parted during the gale Friday night, and owing to darkness and the heavy sea running her consort was unable to pick her up, and she was soon out of sight. Captain Wandig, of the steamer Mary Boyle, reports having sighted the spars of a sunken three-masted schooner protruding from the water a short distance east of the outer island of the Apostle Group, about 100 miles from Duluth. Nothing was seen further. The Pretoria carried a crew of 10 men and a cargo of ore.

#### Vessel Men in Great Anxiety.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Sept. 5.—As a result of the terrific storm which has prevailed over Lake Superior for the past thirty-six hours only two steamers have arrived here in that time, and there is great anxiety among vessel men for the safety of the fifty more craft which are on the lake. The steamer R. L. Ireland arrived with her forward deck lowered five inches by water she had shipped. Mate Smith was washed overboard and drowned. All steamers sighted on the lake were taking the north shore route.

Washburn, Wis., Sept. 5.—The storm which has been raging on Lake Superior for forty-eight hours shows no signs of abating. The steamer Case and barge, of the Gilchrist Transportation company, has arrived here badly damaged. The captain reports that with three more hours in the storm the boat and all the crew would have been lost.

#### STORY OF THE SEVENA'S LOSS

Seven Men Risk and Lose Life for the Others' Safety.

Duluth, Sept. 5.—The wreck of the

Sevona, a big ten-masted vessel bound from Allouez to Erie is a story of heroism and deadly danger. The storm had become too heavy for the vessel, and the captain determined to run for shelter. Sand island is in the center of a patch of dangerous reefs. One and a half miles east of the light on the island is the Sand Island reef. The storm was so severe that the look-out did not see the Raspberry island light. When the Sand island light house was sighted it was too late.

When the vessel finally struck a great hole was torn in the bow, and only half an hour after the wreck the pounding of the waves had hammered the stout ship in two. The vessel broke just ast of the fourth hatch. When the shock came the captain found that there was no chance for all to try and reach shore, and called for volunteers to stay on the ship. More than half of the crew volunteered to stay aboard, while the rest tried to reach shore and call for help for those who were to remain on the wreck.

Finally the captain, the two mates and four others, sailors who were under no obligation to stand by a sinking ship, were selected to risk their lives for the safety of the rest. Engineer Phillippi was one of the volunteers, but Captain McDonald refused to allow him to remain on board, ordering him to take command of the ship's boat which was to wait the women ashore. With Phillippi went Adam Fiden, Nicholas Fiden, C. H. Clucky, two firemen and one deck hand, all of Buffalo.

The storm had battered the third boat to pieces, but a small boat large enough to carry four took another party. The boat with the women tried to make Sand island, but was swept past. Nothing could be done save to keep the craft afloat. When the boats left the Sevona the seven left aboard were huddled in the wheelhouse, waiting for the rescue that was to come too late.

### Odd Fellows' Home Burns

Mason City, Ia., Sept. 5.—The Iowa Odd Fellows' home at Mason City burned to the ground with a loss of \$65,000. Forty-five children and thirteen aged people were taken out just in time by a fire drill which undoubtedly saved their lives. Insurance was \$25,000. The Odd Fellows' board of trustees has been summoned to Mason City to consider plans for re-building.

The fire started at 10 p. m. and an effort was made to extinguish it with the apparatus in the building. When this was found impossible the aged people and children were removed. They have been given homes in Mason City.

## Bull and Two Farmers in Fight.

Stephenson, Mich., Sept. 5.—Fred Carney, Jr., a young farmer near Daggett, had an exciting fight with an angry bull and was saved only by the timely arrival of a neighbor. Carney was attacked by the animal while crossing a field, and the fact that he was armed with a pitchfork proved decidedly fortunate. Man and bull fought for fifteen minutes and the farmer was rapidly becoming exhausted when Addison Clark, who had witnessed the encounter from a distance, appeared upon the scene, also carrying a pitchfork.

The bull then turned upon Clark, who also came near being gored, when Carney, having recovered sufficiently, joined in the battle. Between them the men managed to hold the animal at bay until they could scramble over a nearby fence to safety.

## Details of The Auto Accident

Danville, Ill., Sept. 5.—John H. Harrison, editor of the Danville Commercial News and also state prison commissioner, probably was fatally injured and three others severely in an automobile wreck, thirteen miles east of here. The machine was running along a high embankment near the Wabash river when the wheels skidded and it rolled sixty feet to the bottom. Three occupants were thrown into the air and fell on soft ground. But Harrison, the driver, was pinned beneath the machine. The injured were taken to Covington, Ind., where temporary aid was given them and then brought to a hospital here later.

Editor Harrison's spine is injured and he is partly paralyzed. There is fear of internal injuries. His mother, Mrs. Minda Harrison, has an ankle sprain and many bruises, while his uncle, Colonel J. N. Harrison, of Ottawa, Kan., has a broken arm and the latter's wife a broken collar bone. The editor was held beneath the machine nearly an hour before aid arrived and lifted it. He is an appointee of Deuce to succeed Colonel G. T. Buckingham as hospital trustee.

THE FRENCH HAVE A RATHER WISE ADAGE: "CAPON COMES TO HIM WHO EATS CAPON." USUALLY, BIG SALARIES ARE PAID TO THOSE WHO EARN AND DEMAND THEM--NOT MERELY TO THOSE WHO EARN THEM. WANT ADVERTISING HAS RAISED MORE SALARIES THAN "PULL" OR LUCK OR LIBERALITY. DO YOU "EAT CAPON"?

## Royal Arcanum Rates are In Hopper.

Put-in-Bay, O., Sept. 5.—The following statement concerning the final determination of the Royal Arcanum convention has been authorized by Supreme Secretary Robson: "The laws were amended striking out option 'D' by a very decided vote. We also made options 'B' and 'C' applicable to the present membership only, and restricted new members to a selection between the regular rates and option 'A'."

"An amendment was also adopted for the reinstatement without new medical examination of members suspended since June 1, if they apply for reinstatement before Nov. 1. The proposition to create a fraternal fund by annual contributions of 20 cents from each member, to be used in payments of assessments of aged members, was referred to an executive committee, with power to procure the necessary state legislation, the proposition being contrary to the laws of the state of Massachusetts."

"An amendment adopted providing that members over 65 years of age may pay only one half of their assessments and that the remainder may be charged to be made when the benefits are paid."

## Free Board and Lodging Not For Drunks

Kokomo, Ind., Sept. 5.—Tired of boarding chronic drunks who spend the greater portion of the year in the county jail, the board of county commissioners has notified Sheriff Lindley that if he receives and boards chronic offenders it must be at his own peril and expense. The sheriff has, under their instructions, prepared a black list of old offenders against whom the doors of the county jail will be closed.

The city of Kokomo has no jail or workhouse or even a stone pile, but makes use of the county's jail. The only way the offenders on the black list can enjoy an easy time behind the bars is to be arrested by the city police force, in which event they are counted city prisoners until convicted, and the city has to pay their expenses up to that time. Then they will be turned loose.

## Labor Parade at Chicago

Chicago, Sept. 5.—At 9 a. m. the annual Labor parade began its march here, with its numbers considerably depleted in comparison with former years. It was stated that 123 union did not appear in line. The firm stand of the teamsters resulted in the withdrawal of the order that all musicians appearing in the line must wear the uniform prescribed by the musicians' union, which is very unsatisfactory to a large number of the bands belonging to the union.

After the parade picnics were held, the principal one being at Ogden's grove. The speakers at the picnic at Ogden's grove reviewed the parade down-town before going to the picnic. Among the speakers for the picnic are: Mayor Edward F. Dunne; President George W. Perkins, of the Cigar-makers' International union; Judge M. A. Kavanagh, Francis O'Shaughnessy, W. G. Edens, L. E. McGinn, W. F. Brennan, Joseph Medill Patterson, James Hamilton Lewis and Adrian A. Anson.

Telegrams from other points show that the day was observed very generally and as usual.

Very Low Excursion Rates to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Etc.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold from all stations to Portland, Tacoma and Seattle daily and to California points August 29, 30 and 31, September 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 12, 13, 14, 26, 27 and 28, with favorable return limits, on account of various meetings. Two fast trains to the Pacific Coast daily. "The Overland Limited" (electric lighted throughout), less than three days en route. Another fast train is "The California Express" with drawing room and tourist sleeping cars. The best of everything. For rates, tickets, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

## We Don't Hunt Rabbits With BATTLESHIPS

Nor attack forts with pistols--not because we could not kill rabbits with a 12-inch gun, for we could: and not because we could not take a fort with pistols, for that is conceivable--but because we try to fit our means to our purposes--and in these instances we would have rather conspicuous misfits.

In advertising we don't use a page to secure a furnished room--nor an inch of space to fill a store with customers--not because the page ad would not secure a furnished room, for it would and not because an inch of space could not draw a store full of customers, for that is conceivable--if we offered gold pieces to all comers: but because we try to use publicity in a rational way.

A merchant would not expect to lease or build a big store-building as cheaply as a small one; but it sometimes happens that he imagines he can keep the big store full of buyers with the same expenditure for publicity as he would make for the smaller store. Nobody knows just why the merchant is ever seized with this aberration--but unless he quickly throws it off he finds himself "taking the count," with the sheriff holding the watch.

To fill a big store, every business day, with buyers is the same problem as that of filling the little store or the any-size store; the solution, in any case, being "adequate: sufficient: publicity," and, incidentally, no store ever had this--and charm of store-keeping is partly in the fact that no one has yet sounded its possibilities--as no store has been advertised as fully and persistently and aggressively and enthusiastically as it might have been.

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Advertisement  
And Stop  
Worrying.**



# "Opportunity's Thousand Doors Stand Open"—Some Here Among the Want Ads.

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Three rifles, set boxing gloves, punching bag and rack, two wall cases, one wall desk, one gum case, one shell case, one pool table, two electric fans, bowling alley, light wagon. Will accept bicycle in exchange. 1201 Caledonia.

FOR SALE—Eight room house, almost new; fine graded lot 6x140 feet. One block from car line. Inquire at 1721 Mississippi street.

FOR SALE—Reasonable. Very latest style Underwood typewriter. Visible writing. Address W. J. Tribune.

FOR SALE—Mixed bull pup and fox terrier; terms, cash. Address L. care Tribune.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile runabout. Enquire 510, Main street.

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms. Three or four gentlemen can have desirable rooms with use of den and bath in modern house. Breakfast if desired. H. M. J. Tribune Office.

FOR RENT—Store building three stories, with basement, centrally located. Inquire 110 South Third.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for men. Steam heat, 209 South Tenth street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 822 Rose street.

### FINANCIAL

WANTED—Loan of \$400 for one year; security valued at \$1,200; will pay \$60 interest and premium. Address, Mfg. Tribune office.

MONEY TO LOAN—Diamonds, watches, etc. Stevens, 510 Main street.

**LOANS** made salaried people on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. LA CROSSE MORTGAGE & LOAN CO., 822 Main Street, up stairs.

### HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Several men of backbone, intelligence and responsibility, capable and willing to take charge of neighboring county and sell insurance. Address, J. B. Grigg, Fidelity Mutual, 412 South Eleventh street, La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—Boy, 17 to 20. Drs. Powell.

### HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Competent girl for housework; must be experienced; 314 South Fifteenth.

WANTED—Dining room girls at Henry & Frank.

### BUSINESS PERSONAL

WANTED—Party to invest in established business. Good profit. Splendid chance for lady or gent with ready cash and desire to engage in active business. Address, A. B., 232 South Sixteenth street.

### LOST

LOST—Gold headed parasol between the north and south side. Ender return this office for reward.

### WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED—To buy a good second-hand piano. Address, 609 North 15 1/2 street.

### WANTED TO RENT

WANTED—Six or seven room house for rent. Address, W. J. Tribune.

### WANTED—EMPLOYMENT

WANTED—Washing done to order, old phone, 3377.

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Architect  
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# TREATY OF PEACE HAS BEEN SIGNED BY ENVOYS

## ACTION TAKES PLACE THIS AFTERNOON AT PORTSMOUTH.

### Russians Attend Service After the Ceremony

Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 5.—The peace treaty will be signed today at 3 p. m.

Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 5.—The closing act of the peace conference promises to be a very tame affair. There will be no spectacular features. Final arrangements have been made for the signing of the "treaty of Portsmouth" at 3 o'clock this afternoon, in the conference room of the naval stores building. Besides the plenipotentiaries only Assistant Secretary Peirce, representing the president; Governor McLane; the mayor of Portsmouth, Admiral Mead and Commander Winslow will be present. The ceremony will be brief.

**Wednesday Is Get-Away Day.**  
After the signing the members of the Russian mission will go to Christ Episcopal church, Portsmouth, where a Te Deum service will be held. The Russian orthodox bishop at New York, accompanied by twenty priests and about seventy choirists, have arrived. De Witte and the members of his suite will leave for New York at 9 a. m. tomorrow. Baron Komura before going to Oyster Bay will visit Harvard, his alma mater.

**East and West at the Same Altar.**  
The service at Christ church will be conducted jointly by Rev. C. Le V. Brine, the rector, and Rev. Hotovitsky, of St. Nicholas church, New York. The festival even song will be intoned by Father Brine, after which there will be a solemn Te Deum.

## Bacon Succeeds Loomis.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 5.—Robert Bacon, of New York, has been appointed assistant secretary of state in succession to Francis B. Loomis, resigned. President Roosevelt authorized the official announcement of Bacon's appointment. The appointment was agreed upon almost immediately after Elihu Root accepted the office of secretary of state, but was not announced. Bacon for many years had been an important factor of business life in New York city, having been until within a year or so a junior partner in the banking house of J. P. Morgan & Co.

President Roosevelt has known Bacon for many years, and came particularly into contact with him at the time of the settlement of the anthracite coal strike. Bacon will not assume the duties of his office probably before the middle of October.

### New Train Service Between Salem, S. D., and Sioux City, Iowa.

Via the Northwestern Line. A train will leave Salem at 6:00 a. m. daily except Sunday, arrive Alton 10:00 a. m., Sioux City 11:30 a. m. Returning, leave Sioux City 4:00 p. m. except Sunday, leave Alton 5:25 p. m., arriving Salem 9:20 p. m. These trains will run through without change at Alton, giving a very desirable addition to the railway service of points on the Northwestern Line between Salem and Sioux City.

### Half Rates to Southern Minnesota Street and Agricultural Fair at Winona.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip, Sept. 11 to 15, inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 16, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

Time and money are supposed to be of equal value. You would give money freely to be able to secure a good servant, a good clerk, a desirable house—or to meet any present need. How much TIME will you give? It may require merely enough in which to read and answer a few want ads.

### CONDENSED TELEGRAMS

#### Forty Hurt in a Wreck.

Pueblo, Colo., Sept. 5.—It has developed that forty persons were injured in the wreck at Boone, Colo., late Sunday on the first section of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe passenger train No. 9, bound for Denver with G. A. R. excursionists. Most of the injuries sustained are of a minor nature, and none is fatal. Among those injured are the following: I. V. Hes, Lyons, Ind., bruised; G. R. Grant, Audubon, Minn., side bruised; J. G. Sanders, Chicago, knee injured.

#### Moody Buys the First Ticket.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—Hon. William H. Moody, attorney general of the United States, who is now in Chicago in connection with legal affairs is the first person to purchase tickets for the testimonial base ball game to be played here for the benefit of Mr. Frank G. Selee, the stricken manager of the local National League team. Secretary Moody is one of the strongest enthusiasts of the national game in Washington.

#### Early Marriage and Long Life.

Galesburg, Ill., Sept. 5.—Surrounded by several generations Mrs. Louisa Stargill celebrated at her home near Williamsfield the 100th anniversary of her birth. She is a native of Virginia and was married when she was 17 years old. Her husband died in 1896 aged 93. They were the parents of ten children. Mrs. Stargill has twenty-nine grandchildren, forty-eight great-grandchildren.

#### Lid Is On Tight in Arkansas.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 5.—Arkansas has established a quarantine against Michigan on account of the yellow fever case which developed in Ottawa county last week. A lady who was refused admission to the state for this reason has just been given a certificate of good health by the state board of health of Michigan.

#### Will Produce Baby Food.

Northville, Mich., Sept. 5.—The Rummage Technical company, a recently organized corporation, of Detroit, has leased land of the Northville Condensing company (the Warner-Richardson plant), and will erect thereon a \$10,000 plant for the manufacture of infants' food. The food is manufactured from whey and milk, which will be obtained from Governor Warner's cheese factories, five of which are located near here.

#### Monkey Was a Passenger.

St. Paul, Sept. 5.—For over an hour a monkey held possession of the Milwaukee passenger station here, having driven out the waiting passengers and employees after working a big policeman, the janitor and baggage man. The animal threw peaches through windows and mirrors and at all passengers attempting to enter. After doing much damage the ape was clubbed into submission by the policeman, who was badly hurt during the fray.

#### They Rest Side by Side.

Sharpsville, Ind., Sept. 5.—Although they died at points separated by the width of the American continent almost, A. M. Humphrey and his wife, Mrs. Thuzza Humphrey, sleep peacefully side by side in the cemetery here. Humphrey died in New York city in 1861. The last request of Mrs. Humphrey, who died at Pueblo, Colo., was to be buried at the side of her husband.

#### Terrible Fire at Adrianople.

Constantinople, Sept. 5.—Fire at Adrianople caused enormous damage. Seven thousand houses were destroyed in the Greek, Armenian, Bulgarian and Jewish quarters. There were many victims. With the exception of the Roman Catholic church, the mosques, the schools, a convent and the telegraph offices, few buildings were insured.

#### Sultan Subdues a Rebellion.

London, Sept. 5.—The correspondent of The Morning Post at Constantinople says that the expedition sent to the province of Yemen, in Turkish Arabia, has finished its task; that the Turkish troops have taken Sanna, the capital of the province, operations against which were begun in July last and that the rebels have fled in all directions.

#### Brazil Getting Too Many?

City of Mexico, Sept. 5.—In view of the large number of European emigrants who are flocking to South America, especially to Brazil, a commissioner from the latter country, Senor Joaquin Torres, has been in consultation with interested parties in this country with a view to diverting the tide of immigration to Mexico.

#### "Didn't Intend to Do Harm."

Pittsburg, Sept. 5.—George Toal, aged 9, of McKeesport, has confessed to the coroner here that he threw the stone into a Baltimore and Ohio passenger train at McKeesport on July 17 last which killed Albert P. Campbell.

a merchant of Charleston, W. Va. The boy says he did not intend to do harm.

#### Cossacks and Armenians Fight.

London, Sept. 5.—The Tiflis correspondent of The Times says that in the encounters of Sept. 1 eleven Cossacks, eighty-five Tartars and ten Armenians were killed and that the Cossacks and Armenians fought together against the Tartars.

#### Challenge for Post Season Base Ball.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—President James A. Hart, of the Chicago League ball club, has issued a challenge to the American League club to play a series of local championship games at Chicago, the club winning the first four to be the victors, to begin Oct. 10, and to be played daily at alternate grounds. This is provided the Chicago American club does not win the pennant.

#### Moscow Police Stop a Meeting.

Moscow, Sept. 5.—The police entered a private house and stopped a meeting of members of the Moscow zemstvo congress, which had been called to discuss the attitude the zemstvoists should take toward the projected national assembly. Among those at the meeting were Prince Dolgorouki, Prince Troubetskoy and Prince Lvoff.

#### Proved To Be a Ghostly Joke.

St. Paul, Sept. 5.—When Robert Tackaberry in a tennis game collapsed after a phenomenally high reach for a ball, the spectators, including his wife, laughed heartily, thinking he was making sport of the players. A few minutes later one of them went to him and found he was dead.

#### Northwestern Wheat Crop.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 5.—E. W. Wright, the Morning Oregonian's wheat expert, estimates the 1905 crop of wheat of the states of Oregon, Washington and Idaho as follows: Oregon, 12,400,000 bushels; Washington, 32,800,000 bushels; Idaho, 4,800,000. Grand total, 50,000,000 bushels.

#### Will Hunt Moose with a Kinetoscope.

Boston, Sept. 5.—Dr. Heber Bishop, a well known Boston sportsman, has gone to Clearwater, Me., to prepare for a moose hunt through the Maine woods with a kinetoscope. The picture machine will be manipulated in a light buggy wherever practicable.

#### Bomb Casualties Number Sixty.

Barcelona, Spain, Sept. 5.—The number of persons injured by the bomb explosion on the Marine parade here is now fixed at sixty. Two women were killed. The police have failed to locate the sulphur.

#### Dan Patch Does It in 1:59 1-2.

St. Paul, Sept. 5.—At the opening day of the Minnesota state fair the feature was the attempt of Dan Patch, 155, to beat his own record. With a running horse as pacesetter he made the circuit in 1:59 1/2.

#### Seats All Sold for the Fight.

San Francisco, Sept. 5.—Practically all of the seats for the Britt-Nelson fight have been sold. It is said that the management could have sold at least 3,000 more tickets.

#### Czar Entertains Shah.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 5.—The shah of Persia visited the imperial family at Peterhof in the afternoon and was entertained at a gala dinner at the palace in the evening.

#### Hunter Accidentally Kills His Wife.

Livingston, Mont., Sept. 5.—Dr. Coventry, known as Dr. Abbo, a traveling eye specialist of Deadwood, S. D., while hunting bobcats accidentally shot and killed his wife.

#### Has a Curious Religious Faith.

Marion, Ind., Sept. 5.—Believing he to be against the will of God to prolong life by outside aid, Henry Bragg allowed his wife to die without the care of a physician. He also refuses to allow a doctor to treat his daughter, who is suffering from typhoid fever.

#### Despondent Man Kills Himself.

Lincoln, Ill., Sept. 5.—Bryce E. Viers killed himself at the home of his father by drinking carbolic acid. He was despondent over ill health.

#### Roosevelt For 1908.

Pittsburg, Sept. 5.—The leader, of this city, comes out in favor of President Roosevelt for another term, in spite of his declaration that he will not seek re-election.

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### EXCURSIONS TO FAIRS.

The C. & M. & St. P. Ry. will sell excursion tickets for the following events at very low rates:

For La Crosse County Fair, West Salem, Sept. 4th to 8th.

For Juneau County Fair at Mauston, Sept. 4th to 8th.

For Northern Wisconsin State Fair at Chippewa Falls, Aug. 28th to Sept. 1st.

For Minnesota State Fair at Hamline, Sept. 4th to 9th.

For Wisconsin State Fair at Milwaukee, Sept. 11th to 15th.

For Street Fair at Lanesboro, Sept. 11th to 15th.

For Vernon County Fair at Viroqua, Sept. 18th to 22d.

For rates, dates of sale, limits, etc., call at ticket office.

The man who has saved up a few hundred dollars should watch the real estate ads. "like a hawk watches a chicken."

### IN PROBATE.

Notice of Application to County Court.

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss:

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of La Crosse, in said county, on the 3rd Tuesday, being the 10 day of Sept. A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Kate Muelenberg for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Frank Muelenberg, late of the city of La Crosse, in said county of La Crosse, deceased.

By order of the Court,  
JOHN BRINDLEY,  
County Judge.

### IN JUSTICE COURT.

La Crosse County, City of La Crosse ss:

To Bert Cummings:

You are hereby notified that a garnishee summons has been issued against you and your property garnished to satisfy the demand of Frank Kim amounting to \$12.15.

Now, unless you shall appear before C. W. Hunt, Justice of the Peace of the city at large, in said county on Sept. 20, 1905, at 9 a. m., judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.

FRANK KIRN,  
Plaintiff.  
Dated this 2d day of Sept., 1905.

### IN JUSTICE COURT.

La Crosse County, City of La Crosse ss:

To J. G. Graham:

You are hereby notified that a garnishee summons has been issued against you and your property garnished to satisfy the demand of Frank Kim amounting to \$23.20.

Now, unless you shall appear before C. W. Hunt, Justice of the Peace of the city at large, in said county on Sept. 20, 1905, at 9 a. m., judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.

FRANK KIRN,  
Plaintiff.  
Dated this 2d day of Sept., 1905.

## Railroad Time Tables

CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY.

In Effect July 16th, 1905

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
For Prairie du Chien, Dubuque, Chicago, St. Louis, intermediate pts. and connections beyond	12:15 night	8:30 a. m.
	12:14 noon	8:09 a. m.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
For Winona, Alma, Prescott, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Winnipeg and Northwest	3:30 a. m.	12:15 night
	8:09 a. m.	12:14 noon

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee and the East	3:05 a. m.	3:10 a. m.
	12:40 p. m.	3:05 a. m.
	11:10 p. m.	10:55 a. m.
	3:55 p. m.	5:20 p. m.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Winona, St. Paul & Minneapolis	3:20 a. m.	3:30 a. m.
	7:15 a. m.	12:35 a. m.
	11:55 a. m.	3:50 p. m.
	5:40 p. m.	11:35 p. m.
		12:20 p. m.

Dubuque, Rock Island, Omaha and West

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
	a 12:01 p. m.	a 11:30 a. m.
	a 3:40 p. m.	a 4:45 p. m.

Southern Minnesota Division

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
	a 10:40 a. m.	a 11:20 p. m.
	e 7:20 p. m.	a 3:45 p. m.

: Daily; a, daily except Sunday; c, daily except Saturday.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison and East, Duluth and Superior	a 7:55 a. m.	b 5:30 a. m.
	a 12:35 p. m.	a 12:15 p. m.
	b 10:40 p. m.	a 5:30 p. m.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Trempealeau, Galesville, Winona, Owatonna and West	b 5:30 a. m.	a 7:55 a. m.
	a 12:15 p. m.	a 12:35 p. m.
	a 5:30 p. m.	b 10:40 p. m.

References: a, daily except Sunday, b, daily.

GREEN BAY & WESTERN R. R.

In effect June 21, 1905.

Train leaves La Crosse 8:15 a. m. Connects at Marshland with train leaving Winona at 9:15 a. m. Arrives at Merrillan 12:15 p. m., connecting closely with trains north and south on the Omaha road. Connects closely with Wisconsin Central trains at Amherst Junction and arrives at Green Bay 6:15 p. m. Coming west: Leaves Green Bay 7:30 a. m., Amherst Junction 9:35, Stevens Point 9:55, Merrillan 12:55 p. m., Marshland 3:30 p. m. Arrives at La Crosse 4:30 p. m.

A train leaves Merrillan daily (except Sunday) at 7:30 a. m., arriving at Winona at 11:20 a. m. Leaves Winona at 5:00 p. m., arriving at Merrillan 8:30 p. m.

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## PENNANT SEEMS TO BE SURE THING NOW.

### LA CROSSE LEADS OSHKOSH BY 68

<b>Games Saturday.</b>		
Green Bay 2, Oshkosh 1.		
<b>Sunday's Games.</b>		
Freeport 4, Beloit 0.		
La Crosse 4, Wausau 2.		
Green Bay-Oshkosh-rain.		
<b>Games Yesterday.</b>		
Green Bay 3-0, Oshkosh 2-1.		
La Crosse 1-4, Wausau 0-1.		
Freeport 5-5, Beloit 0-2.		
<b>Games Today.</b>		
Freeport in Oshkosh.		
Beloit in La Crosse.		
Green Bay in Wausau.		
<b>Teams' Standings.</b>		
	W. L.	Pc.
La Crosse	58	37 .611
Oshkosh	49	42 .538
Freeport	48	46 .511
Beloit	47	49 .490
Green Bay	42	54 .438
Wausau	39	55 .415

By defeating Wausau three games in two days La Crosse has gained 16 points in the percentage column and is now leading Oshkosh by 68 points. The pennant seems almost a sure thing and local fans are wildly enthusiastic.

Hawley pitched a great game Sunday until the last inning, when three two baggers enabled the visitors to score twice, the game ending 4 to 2.

Jones was in the box for the locals yesterday morning. Both pitchers allowed six hits but the field work was great. Jones twice had three men on bases with none out and each time prevented a score. O'Leary with the assistance of a couple of short hits, managed to encircle the diamond in the fourth for the locals and the final score was 1 to 0.

Gasper was in the box for Wausau in the afternoon game and had his opponents at his mercy until the last three innings, when he tried out and was hit hard. Garlic tried out five innings for the locals and was supplanted by Dodge. The final score was 4 to 1.

The scores yesterday were:

**First Game.** R H E.  
La Crosse 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 6 1  
Wausau 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 6 2  
Batteries—Jones and Dodge; Gasper and Mott.

**Second Game.** R H E.  
La Crosse 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 1 4 11 1  
Wausau 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 6 4  
Batteries—Dodge and Killian; Gasper and Mott.

**Freeport 5-5, Beloit 0-2.**  
FREEPORT, Wis., Sept. 5.—Two games were played by Freeport and Beloit yesterday. The local team shut Beloit out in one game and in the second the Wisconsin men were defeated by a score of 5 to 2. Score:

**First Game.** R H E.  
Freeport 0 0 0 0 1 0 4 5 6 1  
Beloit 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 6 5  
Batteries—McGill and Karnell; Aiken and Buckwalter.

**Second Game.** R H E.  
Freeport 0 0 0 5 0 0 0 0 5 6 3  
Beloit 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 7 3  
Batteries—Scott and Karnell; Mohr and Buckwalter.

**Green Bay 3-0, Oshkosh 2-1.**  
OSHKOSH, Wis., Sept. 5.—Oshkosh and Green Bay split even on a double header yesterday. Scores:

**First Game.** R H E.  
Oshkosh 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 5 1  
Green Bay 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 3 6 2  
Batteries—Beebe and Moore, Stremmel and Connor.

**Second Game.** R H E.  
Oshkosh 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 5 0  
Green Bay 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 5  
Batteries—Diamond and Moore, Shulkowski and Connor.

**OTHER STATE GAMES.**  
Crystal Falls 2-3, Zimmermanns 0-2.  
Blatz 10, Manitowoc 7.  
Fox Lake 5, Beaver Dam Hawks 3.  
Menasha 1, Kaukauna 0.  
Lake Linden 5, Iron Mountain 4.

A baseball enthusiast, turns to the sporting page with less eagerness than the man who wants to buy a house turns to the real estate ads.—and there could hardly be a stronger comparison than this.

## SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Colman went to Minneapolis last evening for a few days' stay.

Mrs. Robert Solberg of Chicago is the guest of Mrs. G. W. Traer.

Mrs. C. E. Wheeler of Appleton is the guest of Mrs. L. J. Sawyer.

Miss Harriet Jefferson of the Park store millinery department has returned from a three weeks' stay in New York.

Miss Florence Skelton of Minneapolis is visiting at the home of Mrs. Abby Burton.

Mrs. A. M. Johnson who has been visiting her aunt Mrs. G. C. Hixon for a number of weeks has returned to her home at Chicago.

Mrs. Alfred James entertained at a dinner of sixteen covers at the Country club Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Hixon gave a Japanese tea Saturday in honor of her sister, Mrs. Alexander Paul.

Mrs. J. P. Sherwin of Chicago is the guest of Mrs. Abby Burton.

Miss Blanche Bernhardt who was formerly a resident of the city but for the past few years residing in Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting her old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cargill, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hanchett, Mrs. W. E. Sawyer, servants and automobile, left Saturday on the Gallardo for a trip to St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Dunham went to Hokah Saturday. They were joined Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Dunham who spent Labor Day with them at their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. George Atkinson left this morning for Seattle where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. Alice Sprague.

The Woman's Guild of the Episcopal church will be entertained Thursday by Mrs. W. R. Sill.

The Ladies' society of the English Lutheran church of the Holy Trinity, West avenue and Ferry streets, will meet in the Sunday school room of the church Wednesday afternoon. It will be entertained by Mrs. T. Evjen.

## Opening Round for Colman Cup.

Contesting for the Colman cup the fall tournament of the Schaghticoke club was started yesterday. Two rounds were played. The semi-finals will be contested Thursday and the finals Saturday.

The result of the first round was as follows:

F. P. Hixon defeated Geo. Garret, 10 up 8 to play.  
Geo. W. Burton defeated Andrew Lees, 9 up 7 to play.

F. H. Hankerson, defeated E. J. Tull, 6 up to play.

R. D. Gordon defeated A. S. Wiloughby, 3 up 1 to play.

M. E. Hassly defeated L. C. Colman, 6 up 4 to play.

Will Ott defeated R. C. Whelpley, 1 up.

J. M. Hixon defeated R. W. James, 6 up 5 to play.

The second round followed and resulted as follows:

F. P. Hixon defeated Geo. Burton, 3 up 2 to play.

Gus Tourtellotte defeated F. H. Hankerson, 2 up 1 to play.

R. D. Gordon defeated M. E. Hoesly, 5 up 4 to play.

J. M. Hixon defeated Will Ott, 7 up 6 to play.

## Fred Vose Dies After Long Suffering

Fred Voss, a well known young man, died at the home of his parents, 713 North Tenth street, at 9 o'clock last night, after a long illness with tuberculosis.

Deceased was 24 years of age and leaves a father, two sisters and brother.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon from the house and at 2:30 from the German Lutheran church, corner of Fifth and Cass streets. Interment will be in Oak Grove cemetery. Theodore Mannstedt will be in charge.

Are you short of money this month? Don't seek a loan from a friend—and lose the friend: spend a few dimes on a "For Sale" advertisement, and turn into cash something you had forgotten that you owned.

### Pointers for the Businessman

No one ever missed "the tide that leads on to fortune" unless he stopped looking for it. To read the want ads. regularly is to keep on the lookout for it.

"Curiosity does, no less than devotion, pilgrims make." And not only pilgrims—but readers of advertise-For example, a man with a thousand dollars to invest is probably reading the want ads, today, curious to learn what chances are offered for "putting his dollars to work."

If the average young man would read the want ads, as closely as the baseball news he would find that he had as many "chances" as a first-baseman; and by accepting some of them he would hasten the day when he could attend the game in person.

If the finder is honest a want ad. will bring back to you whatever you have lost—and nine out of every ten people are honest in such circumstances.

"What a day may bring forth" for

you may depend entirely upon your "opportunity eye-sight." If you read the want ads, with the right sort of eye-glasses, and see things aright, the day may "bring forth" good fortune and good omen for you.

"Each succeeding day is the scholar of that which preceded." And if you worked over-time yesterday because your office-force is "short-handed," it should have TAUGHT you as well as tired you. "Get thee to the want columns," and find another helper.

The young woman across the way, who used to run for her car at six-thirty a. m., now leaves the house about eight o'clock. You see—she's a skilled stenographer, and a want ad. found a place for her where the hours of work are easier and the pay better.

"A gudgeon won't believe in a pike until he is swallowed up alive." And the "amateur landlord" won't believe in a "dead-beat" tenant until he is well-bitten. Then it requires "quick advertising" to set things right again.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of woman.

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